

...they shall give the right of carrying passengers and collecting toll for fare, to the persons of this State, who will...

Sec. 4. The said Board of Supervisors shall prescribe, by order, the manner and the terms and conditions, subject to the provisions of this act, upon which the streets of said city and county may be used or occupied by street railroads; but no such street shall be made for a term exceeding twenty-five years.

Sec. 5. The track of said railroad shall be so laid as not to obstruct the free use of the streets with drays, wagons, carriages and other vehicles; and, in all respects, it shall be constructed and laid in the most substantial and workmanlike manner, and upon the most approved plan for the construction of city railroads; and the cars on the same shall be run at a rate of speed not exceeding eight miles per hour, and as often and at such times as the convenience of the public shall require; and shall be subject to such reasonable rules and regulations in respect thereto in the transportation of passengers in suitable cars, as the said Board of Supervisors may from time to time prescribe. Said cars shall be propelled only by horses or mules, or both. But with the written consent of two thirds in interest of the owners of property along the line of said road, the Board of Supervisors may from year to year permit the use of steam in propelling said cars.

Sec. 6. The grants made by authority compassed in this Act shall be made subject to the express terms and conditions that said railroad shall be constructed, maintained, used and managed, subject to the jurisdiction of the local authorities of the said city and county of San Francisco for the improvement, regulation and repair of streets, the laying down of gas pipes and water pipes, and the building of sewers.

Sec. 7. When the plank or paving is disturbed by constructing or repairing said railroad, the same shall be replaced in as good condition as before the removal of such plank or paving; and the owner or owners of such sidewalk shall, at his or their expense, under the direction of the Superintendent of Streets, make any necessary repairs* along the line of said road, tracks, and one foot on each side of said road.

Sec. 8. The Board of Supervisors shall make such laws and regulations as will enable the owner or owners of said road to lay temporary tracks, to be used while the streets on the line of said road are being improved or repaired.

Sec. 9. No grant of the right of way over any

and San Francisco, via Panama, during the current fiscal year. Mr. Latham moved a modification of the amount...

Mr. Burch has introduced a resolution, which was adopted, directing the Committee on Territories to inquire into the necessity and propriety of so extending the Eastern boundary line of the State of California as to include within the limits and jurisdiction of the State the Washoe region, and to report by bill if expedient. This proposition, if it could be carried, would be a very valuable one to all mining interests in the Washoe region.

A bill has passed both Houses to authorize the institution of a suit against the United States to test the title to lots Nos. 5 and 6, in the hospital square in San Francisco, with an amendment to the 4th section, which will leave it to read as follows: "Sec. 4. And be it further enacted, That no suit shall be brought by virtue of the provisions of this act, unless the same be instituted within two years from the passage of this act."

Mr. Latham is urging upon the Postoffice Department, with decided hope of success, the establishment of a daily mail from San Juan, California, through San Luis Obispo and Santa Barbara to Los Angeles, and returning at and with Postoffices at Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara, Carpinteria, San Bernardino, Anticoy and San Fernando; also, between Visalia and Hornitos.

The Senate yesterday confirmed the nomination of Augustus Adlers of San Francisco, as U. S. Consul to Brunswick.

On the motion of Mr. Latham, the Senate has called for a very interesting report made by Major James Carlton, U. S. A., in which he presents abundant evidence that the Mountain Meadows

...of their fairest profits. Probably in world's history there was never a great commercial... the shade of a monopoly that would have remained to the American people, of a product which in the past has added so much to the wealth and importance of our country, and the staple on which the prosperity of one-half our Confederacy entirely depends.

BY MAGNETIC TELEGRAPH.

Special Despatches to the Bulletin.
 Today's Legislative Proceedings.
 SACRAMENTO, February 14—2 P. M.
 SENATE.

Mr. Phelps presented a petition against the San Francisco Slaughter-House bill.

Mr. Phelps also presented a petition from the wine growers and distillers of this State, praying to be exempted from the provisions of the Gauger law—together with a bill in accordance with the prayer of the petition.

[Mr. Banks introduced a similar bill in the Assembly, yesterday.]

Mr. Ryan introduced a resolution extending Gen. Kibbe's leave of absence to June next. Made the special order for next Wednesday.

Mr. Logan's resolutions indorsing Crittenden's compromise, and the action of Douglas and Breckinridge, were laid on the table, to allow the discussion of the Union resolutions to proceed. Mr. Edgerton is now speaking.

ASSEMBLY.

Mr. Baechtel introduced a petition from members of the bar in Mendocino county, praying for a change in the law concerning fees in office. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.

The bill to authorize and require the Trustees of the town of Petaluma to call an election, passed.

The resolution for a Joint Convention to elect a United States Senator was lost by a vote of 38 to 34.

Mr. Ross presented a petition of the citizens of Petaluma for repeal of the present city charter. Placed on file.

The Senate amendments to the Mining Corporation law made the special order for Thursday next.

FOR SALE
 A GREEN TREE FARM
 on Green street between Stock
 side. Apply to JOHN BRIC
 Co.'s, Market street, near Stewart's

FINE PAIR
 PAIR—Span of mules
 sold low as the owner has
 Coburn's, on Sansome

FOR SALE
 A TOAKIARD, A CIG
 TO CHS. RUOFF.

FOR SALE
 In a Business port
 TWO FINE SUITES OF
 furnished, with dressings, and a
 very modern—at 515 Sacramento
 an Sansome.

TO LET
 An Eligible
 On Second Floor of No
 South east corner of Sansome and W
 at 4-8.

R. D. W. DAY
 AUCTION
 California street, southwest
 REGULAR SAT
 TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS—F
 Co., &c.

NOTICE—MR. J. ROBIN
 ments for this house, and have
 after this date.
 January 1, 1858.
TO-MOR

street shall prevent a... with the privilege of altering the rails so as to form an easy and safe crossing. Sec. 10. The person or company to whom any such grant shall be made, shall be required to complete the road within two years from the date of such grant, and shall be required to file with the proper authorities of said city and county a good and sufficient bond, in the sum of thirty thousand (\$30,000) dollars, for the faithful compliance with the terms of said grant. Said bonds to be signed by residents and property owners of said city and county, and to be approved by the President of the Board of Supervisors and the County Judge of said city and county.

*The words between brackets are supplied by us to make sense—an omission having evidently been made in transcribing.—ED. BULLETIN.

Arrivals at Washoe.

The following arrivals are registered at Atwill & Co.'s Mining Agency, Virginia City, up to the 10th of February:

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| W. W. Van Bokkelen, | B. McLean, |
| R. M. Billel, | J. F. Atwill, |
| J. Middleton, | Dr. Hastings, |
| A. S. Lowndes, | F. Sontag, |
| W. J. Woodley, | Hanks Monks, |
| S. A. Morrison, | C. Von Blunze, |
| L. Bartlet, Jr., for Walker River, | L. Hensch, |
| | M. Francis. |

DROWNED AT WEAVERVILLE.—At Weaverille on the 11th February, J. C. Jones formerly of Pittsburgh, Pa., while attempting to remove a plank from across a flume, fell in and was drowned.

A BAD END.—Two human skeletons, bleached and weather-worn, were lately discovered in the desert country east of Tulara. They are supposed to be the remains of some early explorers who perished by thirst.

Passengers of overland emigrants to California via the work of the Mormons.

A bill has passed both Houses paying Indian Agent Dodge, Fairbanks, and the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, the expenses of restoring to their friends in the States the surviving children of those who were murdered in the aforesaid Mountain Meadows affair.

The California Patriot at Washington.

The California applicants for office have, most of them, abandoned the field temporarily. Sam Bell is sharp after the Collectorship, and I understand that A. A. Selover is at work for him. Sam will probably have all the anti-Lecompton Democracy to back him, but he will hardly get the place. So far, Rankin stands the best chance, and is likely to win unless some entirely new candidate appears.

M. S. Whiting comes up strongly backed for the San Francisco Postoffice, but has left the city for New England, where he expects to spend a month. Rabe is indefatigable for the Postoffice.

W. B. Farwell has abandoned all hopes of the Marshalship, and has settled on having either the Naval Office or Navy Agency at San Francisco. Capt. Folger will probably get one of these places, and I don't believe Farwell can get the other.

The only new candidate from California of whom I hear is F. F. Fargo of Alameda, who would like to be Register at the San Francisco Land Office. If he works in the Legislature to save off the election of a Senator to succeed Gwin, and so leaves the door open to enable the latter to regain his way in for another term, such course will not improve Fargo's chances here.

Eugene Sullivan arrived here last evening, quite well. I think an effort will be made to induce him to accept the Collectorship, as a means of defeating Washburn and Bell; but it is not probable, at present, that he will take any appointment whatever. The New York Times, in its Washington column,

RESOLUTIONS.

[ADVERTISEMENTS.]

How it is situated.—Quincy Hall is situated in the midst of successful mining operations—Oleary's Washoe Exchange being on the southwest, and Wainwright's Esmeralda salerooms directly opposite on Washington street. Every rich lead is well known at Quincy Hall, for the fortunate holders invest in clothing on their first arrival in the city.

Many inquiries are being made to know why the Tremont House, 124 and 126 Jackson street, can retain so respectable a class of custom. In reply to every inquirer, we say we know one substantial reason—they use Healey's Russian River Hams and Bacon, with Fresh Calif. Yuba Eggs. All bought from Gushue & Elder, 139 Washington street, San Francisco, California. fe12-1w

Always look at List of Prices of Holcombe Brothers. They are supplying the whole country with Boots and Shoes at cost. The rush continues for this reason—their goods are the very best quality. Down-town Store closing out business.

FRENCH, WILSON & CO. are positively closing out their immense stock of fine clothing at both stores. Fixtures for sale, and stores to let. We intend to close out our retail business for the purpose of embarking in the wholesale fine clothing trade. Now is your time to buy fine clothing cheap.

Closing Out.—Having concluded to close out our entire stock of Wyman & Co.'s Superior Clothing, we invite all our customers who wish great bargains to give us a call.

WOOD BROTHERS, Agents,
Montgomery street, opposite Montgomery Block.

AT OORT 1.—For Ladies' Dress Trimmings, Hosiery, Children's Clothing—Bargains may now be had, as we are closing out to change our business.
MRS. D. NORCROFT,
144 Sacramento street, above Montgomery.

M. STROMHAGEN & CO.'S Clothing Store, corner of San Francisco and Commercial streets.—This popular Clothing establishment is selling off their immense stock of Cloths, Regent Hosiery, and

At 10 o'clock
AT SALE
W E W I L L

FOR ACCOUNT OF U
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TRUNKS,
DRY GOODS
HOSE

R. D. V
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NOTICE

THE COPARTNERSHIP existing under the firm of KUGLER & KELLY, dissolved by mutual consent, by the death of Joseph A. Donohoe. The business under the firm of KUGLER & KELLY, and all contracts to be signed by the firm in the future, shall be signed by the firm of KUGLER & KELLY, and will continue the back of the old firm.

San Francisco, December 31, 1860.

"BANK" COPARTNERSHIP

THE UNDERSIGNED in partnership, to take effect on the 1st of January, 1861, and will continue the back of the old firm.

第一章 以色列之王 大衛子所羅門之箴言。使人諳

智慧與訓。明有智^者之言。俾承智慧公義理。鞫正直之

訓。致拙者明徹。年少者獲知識。謀畧。智者聞之而進

學。明者聞之而益謀。致明夫箴言。及其解識。釋明智

者之言。及其隱語。○ 畏耶和華之寅。畏乃知識之本。

惟愚者藐智慧與訓焉。我子。宜聽爾父之訓。毋棄^離

爾母之法。蓋此為美飾於爾首。為索於爾項。○ 我子

歟。若惡人誘爾。不可從之。彼若云。願爾與我偕行。我

儕可伏以流人血。無故而俟無辜者。莫若生吞之。如

陰府且壯健之人完全人陷於阱者則必獲諸珍寶必以掠物充
盈我室願爾設爾分於我儕中我囊可同有一囊我
子歟毋同路偕之行禁爾足行於其徑蓋其足速行
於惡疾趨以流血也苟為鳥所見而張羅徒然矣夫
斯人伏以流己之血且伺己之生命凡貪利者之道
亦如此彼奪物主之生命○夫智呼於外由衢間發其聲
其聲乃呼於大市於門之口在邑中出言云拙者歟
爾悅於拙侮慢者樂其侮慢愚者恨知識將幾久乎
我謹爾則爾宜轉意視哉我將以我靈賦爾以我言
示爾綠我曾呼而爾不肯聽我曾舉手而無人理之

These headings are incomplete and cannot be inserted. M.A.P.M.

教小子勤求夫
智便可得智

爾棄我諸謀終不受我謹故天爾遭禍患我將笑之爾
之恐懼臨格我將戲弄之三即爾之恐懼臨格如敗壞
爾之滅亡臨格如颶風於哀痛臨爾之時天斯時彼必
籲我而我不應清早求我而不得遇我元因彼恨知識
亦不悅於畏耶和華之寅畏三終不聽我謀藐忽凡我
所謹故三彼必食已途之實而飽於已策矣三蓋拙者之
邪曲必殺之愚者之利達必滅之也三三惟聽我者必得
居於無危必安然而不懼禍矣。

第二章我子歟爾若納我語言藏我命令於己衷傾

爾耳以聽智專心於聰明若呼求明哲揚爾聲欲得

指明耶和華
言行兼善

畏神者得
有如是美報

惡人之惡如此

神救人于惡
者之道如此

聰明。若索之如銀，尋之如寶。^{秘五}則爾必明知畏耶和華
 之寅畏，必獲知神之知識也。^六蓋耶和華賜智慧知識
 聰明，由其口而出。耶和華為正直者，存謀畧，其乃直
 行者之盾。^彼保公義之路，守其敬虔者之途。^九如是爾必
 明夫公義理，鞫正直，與凡善徑。^十若智慧入爾心，知識
 娛爾靈，則謀畧必守爾。^{十一}明必保爾，以救爾於惡者
 之途，即於言乖戾之人。^{十二}彼離正直之徑，而行幽暗之
 路。^{十三}樂行惡，喜惡者之乖戾。^{十四}其途曲折，且^彼乃違逆於其
 徑。^{十五}聰明必救爾於淫婦，即以言而謫之。^{十六}外人^{十七}彼離其
 時之密友，忘其神之約。^{十八}蓋其室向於死域，其徑向

勉勵人為善
去惡

首節至四節
勸小子守箴
言則神必保
佑爾

五節至八節
勸小子敬神虛
己乃持身之要

於寂滅者。入於彼者皆不歸。亦不執生命之途。聰明
亦助爾行善人之途。守義者之徑。蓋正直者必得居
於地完全者。必在之而存焉。惟惡人必見於地。悖
逆者必由之見黜矣。

第三章我子歟。毋忘我律法。爾心宜守命令。蓋其

必以口之長。以遐齡。以平康。加諸爾。勿使於恆。真實

離爾。乃繫之於爾項。錄之於爾心之碑。則爾將獲恩

而利達於神與人之前。爾宜一心賴耶和華。毋恃爾

之明哲。宜於爾諸途。識耶和華。則其必正爾徑矣。

毋恃己為智。宜畏耶和華。而離於惡。則可為醫於爾

如錄王
碑

神賞善罰惡

首節二節勉

勵小子受教則有益

三節至九節歷

歷述己之教法得之父母之命如此

十節至十三節

皆勸小子聽

則必祝之。侮慢者耶和華必侮慢之。惟以恩賜夫貧者。智者必獲榮為遺業。為愚者必受辱以為舉。

第四章 羣小子 歟 宜聽 父訓 宜頷 聆 俾知明哲 蓋我

以賢學傳爾爾 毋棄我法 蓋我乃我父之子 在我母

目前為獨一見悅之兒 父教我 謂我曰 爾心宜存我

言 守我命 則必得生 宜得智慧 宜得明哲 毋忘之 毋

離我口之言 毋棄之 則彼必保爾 愛之 則彼必守爾

智慧為至要 故宜得智慧 凡爾所得者中 必宜得明

哲 尊之 則彼必舉爾 爾若懷之 則彼必榮爾 彼將以

美飾加爾首 將以永冕付於爾 我子 歟 聽哉 納我

教則生平有益
遵行智之道則
無過失而生命
可保

十七節言惡人
食飲皆是惡的

十八節申言義
人有榮惡人自陷
於暗

二十至廿二節言
子宜聽從我言守
之則得生得無恙

廿三節言宜守者
多惟心尤宜守

言則爾有生之年必加多。我曾以智慧之途教爾以
正徑導爾。行時爾步不躑躅。若趨則不蹙。宜堅執於
訓。毋容^其或失。宜守之以其為爾之生也。毋入惡人
之途。毋行姦者之路。避之毋。經過之乃離之而去。蓋
彼未施害則不寐。不致人傾跌則其寐不遑。蓋彼食
惡^者之餅。飲強者之酒。惟義人之途如旭光久而愈
光。迨及日中。惡人之途如幽冥。不自知何為而躓。○
我子歟。宜聽我言。側耳於我語。毋使之離爾目。乃守
之於爾心中。蓋其為生命於凡得之者。且為醫於其
全體焉。宜以懇懃之守守爾心。蓋生命之源由於心。

廿四至廿七節言小
子口目是皆不可
偏於左右

一二節勸小子聽
智使心與口守之

三四五六節言彼婦
言行本惡因爾慕生
理他就改樣感爾

七節至十四節勸
小子毋近彼婦
免貽後悔

也爾宜以違逆之口去於爾使乖僻之唇遠於爾爾
目宜正視爾睫宜直向於前爾足之徑以堅爾諸
途毋偏於左右使爾足離於惡

第五章我子歟聽我之智慧側爾耳於我之聰明俾

爾可保謀畧俾爾唇可守知識蓋淫婦唇滴蜜口滑

逾於脂惟其終苦若茵陳利同鋒刃其足下於死其

步歸於陰府彼之徑變遷使爾不知之恐爾理生命

之途羣小子歟今聽我毋離我口之言爾道宜遠之

毋近其宅之門恐爾以己榮付於他人以爾年付於

者恐外人得盈於爾財恐爾勞於外人之家致爾

殘忍

且尔于終則號咷哀痛

十五至十九節勸小子保其身以及其家

二十至廿三節勸小子母務外因天監在上恐與惡人同受罰也

身爾體遭滅而爾號咷終則云哀哉我曾恨訓我心曾貌譴終三
 不聽我師之聲亦不側耳於教我者幾遭諸難於眾曾
 中於會中爾宜由己池而飲水即由爾己井而飲流五
 水焉宜使爾泉溢於外而水流於衢使之歸己毋使七
 他人偕爾與分使爾源受福偕爾幼娶之婦而喜樂六
 使之如可愛之鹿如可悅之鹿宜以其懷而心常足九
 且恒以其愛而自戀我子歟胡為以淫婦自戀乎胡三
 為抱外人之懷乎盖人之途乃在耶和華之目前而三
 彼理其凡其所行者惡者之己孽必累之彼且必以自
 其罪之繩而見繫彼必未承訓而死必因其多癡而三

迷矣。

二節言小子為人謀而受累

三至五節教小子

急於自救之法

六節至十節言懶

人必受困不如物

之能自救

第六章我子歟爾若為友作保若握手於外人此乃

以爾口之言而受累以口之言而被執我子歟爾已

入爾友之掌握則宜如是行以自救宜往而自服急

求爾友毋容爾目寢毋容我睫垂自救如鹿脫獵者

之手如鳥脫捕禽者之手急情者歟宜就蟻觀其行

作致己為智蓋蟻無師無督夏時備食穡時斂

糧急情者歟爾欲息偃將幾久乎爾由卧而興將待

何時乎姑卧片時睡片時又手而息偃片時則

爾之貧窘必將如行旅者爾之困乏必臨如甲士矣

十二至十五節言惡人行惡必有惡報

十六至十九節言神恨惡人所為之事

二十至廿四節言小子守父母之教則可以保身因其教光明規爾於正也

廿五節至廿九節教小子勿受誘惑恐陷於罪

比匪之人惡人以枉口而行彼以目睚眦以足示意
 以指點畫中心乖戾恒於謀害而播爭端緣此其害
 必突至必突裂而無醫有六者為耶和華所恨其心
 所惡者有七即目驕舌謊手流無辜之血心圖惡謀
 足疾趨於惡吐謊者之妄證播爭端於兄弟中我子
 歟宜守爾父之命令毋離爾母之法繫之於爾心垂
 之於爾項爾行時斯法則必導爾爾寢時則必保爾爾寤
 時則必語爾蓋命令乃燈其法乃光訓謹乃生命之
 途致守爾於鄙婦於淫婦舌之諂媚母以心戀彼之
 美毋容彼以曉困爾蓋妓婦致人虧乏甚至有餅一角

三十三節設譬
以做小子

三十二至卅五節言
行淫者之致害無
可贖以深做之

二三節教小子
守命令於身心

四五節命小子親近
智慧則不陷於誘
惑

而淫婦必尋人可寶之生命。人能置火於懷而衣不
見焚乎。人能蹈熱炭而足不見焚乎。人就鄰之妻亦
如是捫之者終不為無罪。餓而竊以充飢人或不貌
之。然若見執則必償七倍必出其所有之全業焉。與
婦行淫無知行此者壞己之生命必受傷必受辱終
不能雪其恥。蓋妒忌乃人之忿報時彼必不寬焉。終
不向理於贖價雖饋多物亦不允矣。

第七章

我子歟宜守我言存我命於爾衷。守我命則

必得生守我法如守爾眸子。繫之於爾指銘之於爾

心之碑。宜向智慧云爾乃我姊妹稱明哲云爾乃我

六節至二十節言不
智之後生見惑於淫
婦其情有如此

戚屬致可守爾於淫婦於謠言之外婦蓋我由我室
之牖由櫺間而觀則見拙者之中見童稚中有一無
知之年少者乃遊於衢近彼婦之隅行其室之路於
薄暮於既昏於中夜之黑暗視哉有一婦遇之衣
妓之衣其心且狡彼婦喧譁而乖戾其足不止於家
一時在外一時在衢伺於諸隅遂攜少者以吻接之
高無廉恥而謂之曰我有酬恩之祭今日償願緣此
我出以遇爾勤求爾面今得見爾我曾以被被我榻
即以自埃及來文錦之帛我曾以蘆沒藥蘆薈桂皮
鬻我牀來我儕可盈於愛迨及詰朝我儕可歡樂於

世至廿三節言惡人受彼婦誘惑不顧自己生命

廿四節至廿五節戒小子聽勸勿受惑以自斃

前五節言智者隨在教人

相戀。蓋^九若^若人不在室，乃歷程遠行。手執金囊，必至望日始歸。彼婦以多婉言迷之，又以唇之謠言強之。少者遽隨之，如牛之就宰，如愚者往受桎梏之責。迨矢刺其肝，如鳥速入於羅，不知是乃喪生命也。羣小子歟！今聽我聆我口之言，毋容爾心轉向彼婦之途，毋迷其徑。蓋^六彼使多人陷而受傷，有力者多人為其所殺。其室乃就陰府之途，入致死之宅也。

第八章 智慧竟不呼乎，明哲竟不出聲乎。乃立於路

旁之高處，通衢之所在。入邑之門，進出之區。宣云：庶人歟！我呼於爾，我聲向人之嗣。拙者歟！爾宜明於明

六節至十一節言
智者所言皆善
比精金尤美

十二至十三節言智
者好善惡惡

十四節至廿一節言
人能聽智則有福

徹愚者歟。爾宜心懷聰明。聽哉。蓋我所言者善事也。
我啟唇乃正事也。蓋我腭必述真實。我唇必惡詐偽。
我口之言皆義。終無奸宄乖戾及之。我言悉為智者
所明。為得知識者所以之為正。寧受我訓。不受白金。
寧受知識。勝受精金。蓋智慧較琅玕尤美。人凡所能
慕者。莫能比之。我也。即智慧也。乃偕明徹而居。且得
謀畧之知識。畏耶和華之寅畏。惡惡也。即矜驕暴慢
惡行也。邪曲之口。亦為我所惡。謀畧與真知。乃我所
有。我乃明哲。我有能力。由我而列王。王百辟定義。由
我而牧伯諸侯。天下士師皆君焉。我愛者。我愛之。汲

廿二節至卅節言
智在未有天地之
先已與耶和華共
在

汲求我者必得我。富貴在我。世世之財與公義亦然。
我之結果愈於金。愈於精金。我之生息愈於銀之佳
者。我行於公義之路。於正直之徑中。令愛我者得貨
財。其府庫我將充之。耶和華元始之途時。我為其所
有。即在昔未有何行之先。自永遠自始。初未有地之
先。我見膏矣。未有深淵。未有多水之源。泉我已生矣。
山尚未實。陵尚未有之。先我已生矣。時神未造地。或
田野。或世界。首先之撮土也。彼造穹蒼。環包海面。我
已同在。在上布雲。堅置淵泉。為海設其限。致水不踰
於其濱。又定地之基。時我偕之創造。日日為其所悅。

三至世六節言聽
智則有福否則自
棄

一節至六節言智者
建屋設筵以待不
智之人俾其來學智

七節至九節言稟智
之人不足教惟智

恒樂於其前。樂於其地。居人之處。我之所悅者。人之
嗣也。羣小子歟。今聽我守我之途者。有福。宜聽訓學
智。不可違之。聽我者。日日守我之門。俟於我戶之柱
者。其人斯有福矣。凡得我者得生。必獲恩於耶和華。
獲罪於我者。則壞已命。凡恨我者。自愛死焉。

第九章

夫智慧已建其室。已雕其七柱。已宰其畜。已

調和其酒。已設其席。已遣其婢。出今在邑之高處上。

呼云。愚者可入於此。又向無知者云。來宜食我餅。飲

我所調和之酒。棄愚則得生。行於明哲之途。謹責侮

慢者。反受凌辱。勸戒惡人者。反見污穢。毋誠侮慢者。

者乃受教

十節上節言畏

神是智之本可
以長生

恐其恨爾。惟勸誡智者。彼則愛爾。傳授於智者。則彼
 益智。教導於義者。則彼進學。畏耶和華之寅畏。乃智
 慧之始。識聖之理。乃明哲。由我而爾。日必增。爾有生
 之年。必加也。若爾為智。則為己。為智。若爾侮慢。則爾
 獨當之。愚婦喧譁。乃拙而無知。坐於己室之門。在邑
 之高處之座。欲呼行旅。即直道。人云。愚者可入於此。
 又向無之知者云。竊水乃甘。盜餅有味。然不知寂滅
 者在彼。其客在陰府之深處。

第十章 所羅門所之箴言如左。智子令父樂。愚子為

母之憂。無理之財。無益。惟公義致得救於死。耶和華

必不使義者之靈受飢。惟惡人之貨財，其必擲棄。情
其手以行者必貧。惟勤者之手必致獲富。夏時斂者
乃智子。穡時寢者，乃致羞赧之子。義者之首有福。惟
惡者之口，則強暴乘戾蔽之。義者之誌，受祝。惟惡者之名，必腐
則朽。心智者必受命令。唇之愚者必隕亡。直行者必
坦行。曲行者必見露。睚眦者必致憂。唇噤之愚者必
隕亡。義者之口，乃生命之源。惡者之口，則強暴乘戾蔽之。
憾則起爭端。愛則蔽諸過。在明哲者之唇，可獲智。無
知者之背，則有杖。為之備焉。智者積知識。愚者之口
近於喪亡。富者之財，乃其堅城。貧者之乏，乃其喪亡。

焉。義者獲拯於難而惡者來代受之。九違善者以口毀
其鄰。義者以知識而獲拯。義者亨通其邑則喜樂。惡
者滅亡則有歡呼。十一其邑因正直者之祝而見舉。惟因
惡者之口而傾圮。十二無知者藐視其鄰。惟聰明者緘默。
遊說者洩人密事。惟忠心者隱之。十四無指引者則民墮。
惟議者衆則得安。十五為外人作保者必受害。不好作保
者則宴然。十六賢女守榮譽。强者守貨財。十七慈心
靈。惟殘忍虐虐人者自擾其己之身也。十八惡者行詐偽之行
播義者必得真實之報。十九義必致生。如是則從惡者亦
必就死。二十心之乖戾者為耶和華所惡。行完全之途者

七

乃耶和華所悅。雖手執手而惡人不得免於罪。惟義
 者之齋必得救。無禮之美。女有若金珠在豕之鼻。義
 者所欲惟善。惡者所望惟怒。有失散者而反增。有吞
 而過分者。反致貧乏。好施者之靈必肥。灌者被必受
 潤。渴穀者民必詛之。售之者祝必歸其首。求善者必
 獲恩。謀惡者惡必臨之。恃己之富者必墮。義者必興
 發如枝。擾己家者所獲惟風。惟愚者必為心。智者所
 役。義者之果乃生命。樹獲人之靈者乃智也。視哉。義
 者在世獲報。况惡人與罪人乎。

第十二章 喜受教誨者喜知識。惟惡譴責者如畜焉。

善者獲恩於耶和華。惟設詭謀之人。耶和華必定其
罪。人^三不以惡而建立義者之本。必不致動。賢婦為夫
之冕。致辱之婦。如夫^使之骨^如之有腐。義人之心。所圖惟
者。乃正惡者之所謀。乃詐偽。惡者之語。同於流血。正
直者之口。必救之。惡者顛沛。而歸於無有。義者之家
必堅立。人必循其智慧。而見譽。戾心者。必見藐。居卑
而有役之者。愈於自大。而乏食。義者顧其畜之生命。
惡者之矜恤。亦為暴虐。耕己田者。必飽於餅。從比匪
者。無知識。惡者貪於惡網。惟義者之本。乃鞏固。惡者
以唇之德。被詈。義者必得脫於難。人必以口之果。而

勞心者治人勞力者治於人見上孟

得飽於善人以己手所償者則必以之此而報之上愚者
目己之道為正惟聽人謀者乃智六愚者之怒人必遂
知之惟掩辱者為達七言真者示義妄證者示偽六有嘍
啁如劍刺者惟智者之舌則為醫九真唇永堅立謊舌
惟三瞬息可存謀惡者之三心有偽議平安者有喜三禍終
不加於義者惟惡人必充以蓄害三謊舌乃耶和華所
惡行真者乃其所悅三達者自藏知識愚者之心則示
癡三勤者之手必治惰者必納貢三憂在人心必屈斯心人惟
善言必樂之三義者以途示其鄰惟惡者之途迷乎己
惰者不燔其所獵惟勤者為人所寶之業三在義之途

有生在其徑無死。

第十三章 智子受教於其父。惟侮慢者不聽譴責。人

以必口之果而食善。惟悖逆者之靈必食暴虐。守口

者保命。哆唇者亡。必臨之。惰者之靈慕而無得。勤者

之靈必得豐潤。義者惡謊言。惡者致厭。且致羞赧。義

必守無辜者之路。罪者惡必傾仆之。有顯己為富而

終無者。有顯己為貧而多財者。人之財為其生命之

贖。惟貧者不聽責。義者之燭。終得喜樂。惡者之燈必

滅。特以驕而起爭。惟相議者有智。不勞之財必損。以

手積者必增。望極而不得。使心孔傷。所欲遂為生命

之樹。貌道者必自敗。畏命者彼必獲安。智者之法。乃
生命之源。俾得脫於致死之罟。善之明哲。必使蒙恩。
悖逆者之途。惟難。凡達者之所行。合於識。見愚者則
揚己之癡。不善之遣役。必陷於害。忠直之使。必為醫。
貧與辱。必臨夫。棄教者。守譴責者。必見尊。所欲得成。
則心甘悅。棄惡為愚者。所惡。借智者行。必為智。與愚
者侶。必致敗。蓄害必追隨罪人。義者必得善報。善者
遺嗣業於其子。子。罪者之財。存為義者之用。貧者
耕田產多糧。有因無義而見滅者。惜杖撲者。惡己子。
愛己子者。以嚴而教責之。義者得食。而致靈飽。惟惡

者之腹必枵。

第十四章 婦之智慧各建其家。癡婦以己手毀之。行

於正直者畏耶。和華違逆於其途者。藐忽之。在愚者

之口。其傲若杖。智者之唇必保之。無牛則槽虛。惟以

牛之刀。則土產多。忠證不謊。偽證吐謊。侮慢者求智

不得。知識於哲者為易。爾宜離愚者之面。未見其有

知識之唇也。達者之智慧。明知其途。詐偽為愚者之

癡。愚者以罪為戲。戲一譯 愚人 祭惟義者之間。獲恩。夫心

知己之苦。惟他人不與於其樂。惡者之家。必傾。義者

之幕必興。有一途。人目之為正。然其終乃致死之途。

雖^{十三}於笑時心亦傷喜樂之終亦憂矣^{十四}心逆者必以己
途而足惟善人乃遠離之^{十五}拙者無言不信達者自顧
其行^{十六}智者懼而離惡愚者驕侈而不恐^{十七}易怒者行癡
謀害者見惡拙者之嗣業惟癡達者得知識為冕惡^{十八}
者伏於善人之前罪者伏於義者之門貧者即其鄰
亦惡之惟富人則多有愛之者^{十九}藐忽其鄰者罪人也
惟^{二十}憐貧者其人斯有福兮謀於惡者非謬乎惟^{二十一}於悔
皆行也與真實之人皆謀於善人矣^{二十二}有所勞無不有益唇之
多言必致貧^{二十三}智者之財為其冕愚者之尊乃癡^{二十四}真證
救人之生命偽證乃吐謊^{二十五}在畏耶和華之寅畏有堅

固之俟望其子必獲避所三所畏耶和華之寅畏乃生命
之源俾得脫於致死之罟三王者之榮由民多牧伯之
亡由失民元緩遲怒者大有知識性躁者乃舉其癡心三之
自慰者乃身之生命媚嫉乃骨之腐三虐貧者侮造之
主主惟敬之之人能畏耶和華之寅畏乃憐貧矣惡人於其惡中而見驅
義者於其死而有望三智慧居於明哲者之心惟愚者
衷之所有必露而被識三公義者致國興惟罪乃凡民
之辱三五王之恩賜於聰明之僕惟行辱者則必以怒施
之。

第十五章 婉答息忿厲言激怒二智者之舌善用知識

惟愚者之口傾其癡。耶和華之目在遍處明鑒善惡。舌之施慰者乃生命之樹。惟其邪曲則喪心。愚者藐其父之訓聽譴責必能通達。在義者之家多有貨財。惟惡者之產乃憂患。智者之唇宣知識。愚者之心則反是。惡者之祭為耶和華所惡。正直者之祈為其所悅。惡者之途為耶和華所惡。從義者為其所愛。離道者必愛苦責恨譴責者必致死。陰府沉淪皆在耶和華前。何況人嗣之心。侮慢者不悅勸誡之者亦不就於智人者。心樂致容喜。惟心憂致傷靈。明哲之心必求知識。惟愚者之口悅於癡。受難者其日悉苦。惟權

心者恒享宴樂寧寅畏耶和華而少有勝於巨富而
兼懷憂寧以蔬為餐而兼有相愛愈於有肥牛而兼
有相忿恨者激爭遲怒者息訟惰者之途似棘籬義
人之路乃坦然智子使父樂愚人藐其母無知者以
癡為喜惟明哲者必直其行無謀則志廢謀者眾則
志立人由己口而得可答則樂言之宜於時美哉智
者其生命之道在上致返離在下之陰府耶和華必
滅驕人之家必建寡婦之界惡人之圖惟為耶和華
所惡惟良言為潔貪利者擾己家惡賄者必生義者
之心必思念以答惟惡人之口傾其惡耶和華遠離

於惡人惟聽義者之祈。目之光明使心樂。嘉音致灌
骨耳聽生命之德。謹必於智者。而居。棄訓斥者。藐
己之靈。惟聽譴責者。得聰明。畏耶和華之寅。畏乃智
慧之教訓。謙卑在尊榮之先焉。

第十六章 心謀在人。答舌之所求。乃在耶和華。人之

途。循其己視之。悉為淨潔。惟耶和華權衡諸靈。宜以

爾之作為託作於耶和華。則爾所圖惟者。必得堅立。

凡耶和華之所造者。各為其旨意而造之。即惡人為

災害之日。而造亦若是矣。心驕者。悉為耶和華所惡。

雖手執手。亦不得免罪。以矜恤與真實。則罪得贖。寅

畏耶和華則遠離於惡人之途見悅於耶和華即其
敵則亦使之與和寧少有而義愈於非義之大財人
心謀其途惟耶和華導其步履神之感應在王之唇
鞫時其口不可犯公平之稱與權衡屬於耶和華囊
之鈞石亦悉為其作為行惡為列王之憎蓋其位以
公義而堅立義唇為列王所悅言正直者列王必愛
之王之忿怒乃如致死之使者惟智者息之於王容
之光有生命在焉其恩如後雨之雲寧獲智慧愈甚
於獲金寧獲明哲甚愈於獲銀義者之道路乃離於
惡欲自保者宜守其己途傲先於敗驕心先於傾跌

寧偕於謙遜者而心卑，愈於偕驕人而分贓。慎達於
行事者，必獲益。倚賴耶和華者，其人斯有福。心智者，
可稱為明哲。唇甘足以進學，慎達於獲之者，為生命
之源。惟癡人之教乃癡，智者之心使其口慎，達使其
唇進學。良言若蜜房，為甘於心，為醫於骨。有一途，人
目之為正，然其終乃致命死之途。勞者以飲食計而
勞苦，蓋其口迫之也。比匪者掘惡，其唇中有若燃火。
逆者啟爭，訐者使友間離。強者誘鄰，引之入不善之
途。閉目以謀逆事者，及蹙唇者，則惡乃成。若行義路，
則皓首乃華冕。遲怒者，愈於雄師。治己心者，愈於取

城。箴乃置於懷。惟決其事。悉由於耶和華。

第十七章。寧有淡餅少許。而兼得安康。愈於盈室已
宰之牲。而兼有爭訟。慎達之僕。必治致羞。赧之子。又
得與兄弟中。同分嗣業。鎔三可煉銀。爐三可煉金。察人心
者。惟耶和華。行惡者。聆偽惡唇。言偽謊者。聽偽惡舌。凌五貧之
者。侮其造主。樂人之災者。不得免於罪。子六之子。乃老
者之冕。諸子義之榮。乃其父。嘉七唇不宜於愚人。况謊唇
非更不宜於君乎。賄在受者之目。乃寶玉。隨其所轉。
運必得利。達九隱過者。欲得愛。述風聞者。使友間離。十以
一言之責備。使智者念之。勝於以百杖之扑。使愚者

念之。惡者為謀叛逆，故必遣殘忍之使者追及之。寧
遇被^六獵其子之熊，不可遇愚者於其癡。以惡報善
者，惡必不離其家。爭端之起，如水之破隙，故於未衝
突之先，宜遠之。人以惡者稱為義，以義者定於罪，斯
二者，乃耶和華所惡。愚者未有聰明，市智慧之價，豈
宜與於其手乎？朋友恒愛，兄弟特緣，急難而生，無知
者，抵掌以定質於其友之目前。喜爭者，乃喜罪。高舉
其門者，取敗。心乖戾者，不獲善。舌反覆者，必陷於害。
生^三愚子為己憂，愚者之父無何喜。喜樂之心能養身，
憂患之靈能枯骨。惡人由其懷納賄，致枉於施鞠之

道。在明哲者之前，有智慧，惟愚者之目，在地極。愚子
為父之憂，亦為生之者之苦。又刑義者，乃不善，扑牧
伯，非所宜。寡其言者，有知識性溫者，有明哲。雖癡者，
若緘默，亦可以為有智。合其唇者，則為明哲。

第十八章

自別於眾者，惟縱其己慾，反於凡善之謀，相反

略而衝突焉。愚者不喜明哲，乃誠喜顯其本心。惡者
所至，藐忽亦至。必凌辱，必有讒匿。人之言，如深淵
智之源，如川流。徇於惡者，乃不善。枉於義者，其鞠亦
不善也。愚者之唇，入於爭，其口招扑。愚者之口，乃自
敗。其唇累己之靈，遊說者之言，雖視如謔言，亦入於

腹之深處。夫怠惰行事者，乃耗費者之兄弟。耶和華之名，猶鞏固之成樓。義者入之而得保。富人^上之財，乃其鞏固之邑。且視之^自為崇墉滅亡之先。人心居傲得榮之先，必有謙遜。未聽事之先而應之者，必視彼為癡為辱。人之心能扶其疾，惟心傷孰得^能當之。明心獲知識，智者之耳索知識。人之禮物，可使人得寬濶。且可引之至大人之前。先愬其己之事者，視之似義。惟其鄰至，則察之。擊籤以息爭，且解能分解於強者之間。兄弟相尤，堅於鞏固之邑。且其爭猶成樓之楨。人之腹必以口之實而得足。人必以唇之產而自足。生

死為舌之權主。愛之者各必食其所結之實。得妻者得美物。而由耶和華獲恩。貧者有求富者以厲言答之。汎交友者必自卑。惟有一友。纏綰於兄弟焉。

第十九章

貧者而行正直。愈於唇之乖戾。而為愚者。

心無知不善。急足者干罪。人之癡枉其道。且其心怨

耶和華。有財致多友。惟貧者見踈於其友。妄證者必

不得免罪。吐謊者必不得避焉。多人求恩於君。人各

為饋禮物者之友。貧者即其兄弟。皆憎之。其友更遠

離之。雖欲設言。而不得獲。獲智慧者愛其己靈。守明

哲者必能得善。妄證者免罪。吐謊者必敗亡。愚者守

於奢樂非所宜也。况僕而治其宰乎。慎達使人寬其怒。而宥過為人之榮。王之怒如獅吼。其恩如露之在草。愚子為父之災。妻之紛爭。如有恒點滴。室與財為列祖所遺。慎達之妻為由耶和華所賜。懈怠致酣寢惰者必受飢。守命令者守其己靈。不慎其途者必死。恤貧者貸與耶和華。彼必償其所作。宜責爾子。因爾尚有可望。爾心若欲死之。則不可。暴怒者必宜懲罰。若爾怒之。必至再怒。爾宜聽謀畧。宜承訓教。致爾於終時。可為智。人心有多謀。惟耶和華之旨必立。人之所慕者。亦可以之為恩。然窮者愈於言謊者。畏耶和華之

寅畏致得生，畏之者必得恒足，禍必不臨之。三怠者匿
手於孟，即舉之於口，亦不願焉。五擊侮慢者，則拙者必
慎，謹責明哲者，則彼必得明於知識。六觸父者，或逐母
者，乃致羞赧，致凌辱之子。七我子歟，宜息於聽教之使
爾，離於明哲之言者。八比匪作證者，侮義惡者之口噬
害。九侮慢之者，則鞫為之，而備鞭為愚者之背，而備焉。

第二十章

酒致侮慢，醴致喧譁，以之而迷者，是為無

智。二王之威如獅之吼，激其怒者，獲罪於己，靈人肯息

於爭，則為人之榮，惟愚者悉必屢習之。四怠者因寒而

不耕，故於穡時必求五而無有，謀在人心，猶若深淵。

惟明哲之人，汲之使出。人皆揚其善，然忠實之人，誰能遇之。以其正直而行者，乃義。其後嗣必福矣。王坐於施鞠之位，以其目使諸惡者散。孰可云我已清我心。我罪已潔，權衡斗量，其制不一，俱為耶和華所嫉。雖嬰孩亦可因其行為而知之。其所作者，或清或正，否能聽之耳。能視之目，俱為耶和華所造。毋嗜卧，恐爾致貧。啟爾目，則以餅而得飽。買者云惡也，惡也。惟去後則自誇有金且多，有瑯玕。然知識之唇乃寶器。為外人作保者，爾宜取其衣。因其為外人之故，宜變其所有人，以偽餅為甘。後其口必見充，以沙。諸計以

謀畧而得建立。以良策而交戰。遊說者洩人密事。故
毋與唇諂。與者諂其父。或諂其母者。其燈必見滅於暗
中。得業雖始而速得其終必不為福。毋言我欲報惡。
惟俟耶和華。其必救爾。其制不一之權。為耶和華所
嫉。偽衡亦為不善。人之步乃由耶和華。人豈能識其
己之途。人突然許願於己。為罟許願而後察之亦然。
有智之王。散惡人以輪碾之。人之靈乃耶和華之燈。
以察其衷之深處。慈悲真實必守王。且其位以慈悲
而得輔。少者之榮。乃其力。老者之美。乃其皓首。致傷
見之鞭。為惡者之醫。撻而達入身之深處亦可。

第二十一章王之心在耶和華之手如川流之水然

隨其己意而決之。人目己之途皆為真。惟耶和華權
衡人心。行義與鞫為耶和華所悅。勝於悅祭祀。高視
驕心。惡者之光皆為罪。勤者之圖特致豐盛。凡急躁
者之圖特致缺乏。以言謊之舌而得財。乃求死者反
覆之虛氣。敗壞必漂滅。惡者以其不行義鞫也。行於
乖戾之途者。罪人惟潔者之途乃正。寧居屋蓋之頂。
毋與爭競之婦偕居於室內。惡者之心樂禍。即其友
亦不得獲恩於其目前。侮慢者受罰。則拙者得智慧。
智者蒙誨。必進其學。公義之神。測惡人之家。且必投

惡人於禍^{十三}充^塞耳於貧者之求自必求而不得感應^{十四}潛
饋能遏怒懷中之賂能遏憤行公義乃義者所喜惟
行惡者必見敗壞^{十六}迷離於明哲之途者必居於寂滅
者之會^{十七}好宴樂者必為貧人好酒油者必不致富^{十八}必
以惡者而贖義者必以悖逆者而代直者^{十九}寧居曠野
愈於與爭競忿怒之婦偕居^{二十}在智者之家有可慕之
貨財有油惟愚者之所有其速吞之^{二十一}從公義與矜恤
者必獲生命及公義與顯榮^{二十二}智者登雄豪之城倒其
堅固之倚賴^{二十三}守口與舌者乃守其靈之免擾^{二十四}驕傲而
自大者名為侮慢乃以驕傲之藐忽而行事也^{二十五}惰者

之所欲必死之。以其手辭於勞也。日日切切於欲。惟
義者施而不吝。惡人之祭。可憎。况以殘害之謀。獻之
乎。妄證者必亡。惟肯聽者則恒言。惡人剛愎其面。惟
直者必堅。立其途。智慧明哲。謀畧攻耶和華者。未之
有也。馬乃為戰之日。而備。惟拯救則由耶和華。

第二十二章 寧簡嘉名。愈於大財。思寵愈於金銀。貧

富相叙。皆為耶和華所造。達者見禍而自避。惟拙者

前而受責。由謙遜畏耶和華之寅。畏則得富厚。顯榮

生命。荆棘與網罟。乃在乖戾者之途。惟守其生命者。

將遠離之。養子俾其行當行之途。則其於老時亦必

不離之。富者必治貧者，貸者必為債主之僕。播惡者必斂禍害，且其怒之，杖必廢。以善目視人者，必受祝。蓋以餅予貧者也。逐侮慢者，則爭競必遠。且爭競與凌辱必息。慕心潔者，其唇乃惠；其友乃王。耶和華之目守智慧者，然必敗悖逆者之言。怠者云：在途有獅，在衢我必見殺。妓婦之口，乃深阱。耶和華所惡者，必陷之。夫癡繫於子之心，惟治杖可逐之。虐貧者以自增饋於富者，必致自缺。側耳聽智慧者之言，專心於我之知識。蓋存之於我，衷述之於爾。唇斯為美。我今日以之示爾，即示於爾者，使爾恃耶和華。昔者我未

嘗以謀畧以知識書於爾乎。致爾知真理之言之確
實。俾得以真理之言答遣爾者。毋緣貧者之貧而却
之。且在邑門。毋虐苦者。蓋耶和華必伸其訟。且壞其
生命者。耶和華必壞之。毋友急怒者。毋偕切忿者。恐
爾效其道。而於爾靈為罟。爾毋與於抵掌者。或保
負者之間。蓋爾若無可償。胡為致人奪爾簣乎。毋遷
古界。爾祖所立者也。爾見人勤於事。彼將侍於王前。
不侍於賤者之前。

第二十三章 爾生食於有司。慎思何者在爾前。若爾
為饒者。則爾必如以刀置於喉。毋貪其珍饈。以其乃

迷惑之食也。毋勞於致富，息恃己之明哲。爾可使爾
目飛注於富乎？夫富必致無有，蓋將為己作翼而飛，
如鷹之冲天。毋食惡目者之餅，毋貪其珍饈。蓋其心
所思念如何，其人亦如是。彼謂爾言曰：可食可飲，惟
其心不向爾，所食之餅，爾必復哇，則其所語爾之甘
言，爾必失之。毋言於愚人之耳，以其必藐。爾明哲之
言，毋遷古界，毋入孤子之田。蓋其贖者有能，彼必理
其訟於爾。宜專心於訓教，傾耳於知識之言。毋不督
責爾子，若以杖撻之，彼不致死。以杖撻之，則必救其
靈於陰府。我子歟，爾心若智，我心必樂，即我之心也。

爾唇言端正之事。我腸必喜。爾心毋嫉。罪人尤宜恒
畏耶和華。蓋終有將來。爾之俟望。必不致絕。我子歟。
爾宜聽而得智慧。且導爾心。前行於道。沉湎於酒者。
饕餮於肉者。爾毋在其中。蓋沉湎饕餮者。悉必致貧。
嗜於卧者。必致人衣敝衣。宜聽生爾之父。爾母既老。
毋藐忽之。購真理。毋售之。而於智慧教訓。明哲亦宜
如是。義者之父。必大樂。生智子者。必緣之。而喜。爾父
爾母必樂。且生爾者。必喜。我子歟。宜以爾心歸我。且
爾目宜悅我途。蓋妓者乃深渠。淫婦乃狹阱。夫彼窺伺
如賊。增悖逆者於人間。有禍誰耶。有憂誰耶。有爭誰

耶有慮誰耶有無故之傷誰耶有赤目誰耶惟久居
於酒者往嘗調和之酒也。毋觀酒之紅者在盃發華
者順流而下者其終則噬如蛇刺如蝮爾目必注於
妓爾心必言乖戾爾將如偃於海中偃於梳末者其
言曰彼撻我而我不病彼擊我而我不覺我既醒將
復求酒焉。

第二十四章

毋嫉惡人亦毋欲偕之。蓋其心務於強
暴其唇言殘害。夫家必以智慧而得建必以明哲而
得堅立。室必以知識而得充以凡善且寶之貨財。智
者有能識者尤增堅立。蓋爾宜以良策而為己交戰。

惟議者衆則得安智慧高於愚者彼在邑門不啟口。
謀殘害者人必稱之為滋事者。癡者之所謀罪也。侮
慢者為人所惡。爾若倦於患難之日則爾力式微。被
導於死地者爾宜拯之將見殺者願爾阻之。爾雖曰
我實不知之也。然衡人心者不知乎。守爾靈者必識
之。彼必循各人之所為而報之。我子歟。爾食蜜。緣其
美也。食蜜之房。緣其於爾。腭為甘也。亦宜如是。為爾
靈。真得智慧之知識。爾若得之誠終有將來則爾之
俟望必不絕。惡人乎。毋窺義人之家。毋敗其居所。蓋
義人若七蹶亦必復興。惟惡人必陷於禍。爾敵傾仆

毋為之喜。彼蹶爾心，亦毋喜樂。六恐耶和華見之，且視
之為惡，而轉其怒，以離於彼。九毋緣惡人而忿怒，毋嫉
罪人。蓋惡人必無將來賞賚。罪人之燈，必見滅。三我子
歟，畏耶和華及王，毋交反復者。蓋彼之雷，必哭起。此
二者所施之滅亡，孰能知之。三又屬於智者，乃此施鞠
而視貌，乃不善。三或謂惡人云：爾乃義者，則民必詛之。
列國必惡之。五惟譴責之者，必見悅，且嘉福必臨之。三以
真言應對人，必吻其唇。三在外備爾工，在田為己，而落
成之。然後可建爾屋。六毋無故證爾鄰，蓋爾可以唇欺
詐乎。元毋言彼所行於我者，我必行於彼。我必循其人

所行而報之。情者之田。無知者之葡萄園。我嘗過焉。
視哉。草萊遍生。荆棘蔓面。石垣傾圮。我見而思之。我
觀而承教。尚欲假寐。暫寢。且叉手以寐。如是。爾貧乏。
必來如旅人。爾困苦必來如甲士矣。

第二十五章

又有所羅門之箴言。猶太王希西家之

諱隱夫

鑒察夫事乃

人所輯者如左。事隱而不露。乃神之榮。列王之榮。乃
究察其事。天之高地之深。列王之心。亦如是之不可
測。除滓於銀。則有器為鍊者而出。除惡者於王前。則
其位必堅立於義。毋顯耀於王前。毋立於大人之位。
蓋寧得人謂義。爾云請上至此。愈於有人令爾卻退。

當爾目所見之君前。毋急出以爭。恐至其終。爾鄰辱
爾時。爾有所為也。爾雖與鄰爭辯。惟毋洩他人之密
事。恐聞者致爾羞赧。而爾見訕不止。宜時之言如金
如戈。蘋果配以銀花。有智之謹者。於耳之聽受。猶耳
之金環。精金之飾。忠使於遣之者。如冰雪在穢時。蓋
其令主心甦也。人以虛偽之賜。而自誇。猶風雲而無
雨。以遲怒而君則納勸。且柔舌能折骨。爾遇蜜食之
宜知足。恐爾厭而吐之。踏爾足於鄰家。恐其厭爾而
恨爾。以妄證攻其鄰者。為梃。為刃。為利鏃。既遭難而
恃悖逆者。是猶折齒跛足。寒時奪衣者。置硝於醴者。

人對傷心者。賡歌亦若是。爾敵若飢。則以餅飼之。若渴。則以水飲之。是乃以爆爨炭集於其首。而耶和華必賞爾。北風致雨。私舌致怒色。寧居屋蓋之頂。毋與爭競之。婦偕居於室內。嘉音來自遠方。如以冷水予渴者。義人傾跌於惡人前。如混源濁井。多食蜜。不善自謀其榮。乃苦。不能制其靈者。如邑毀而無垣。

第二十六章 猶雪在夏時。猶雨在穡時。榮之在愚者。之不宜亦若是。之不宜。猶鳥之翔。猶燕之飛。若是無故之詛。必不及。策為馬。而備銜為驢。而備杖為愚者之背。而備。毋循愚者之癡。而答之。恐爾與彼同然。循愚者之

癡而答之。恐彼目己為智也。六矣。可書函而託於愚者
之手。乃斷足。飲害。跛者之足。可去之。箴言在愚者之
口亦然。賜榮於愚人。猶繫石於投石之索。九箴言在愚
者之口。猶荆棘見舉在醉人之手。僱愚者。僱游手者。
猶若傷衆之矢。十如狗轉食其所吐。愚者復於己之癡
亦然。十一爾見人目己為智。以愚者較彼。可為之。尤有望。
怠者曰。在途有獅。十二在徑有獅。十三怠者輾轉於其牀。如門轉於樞。十四怠
者匿財於孟。即舉之於口。亦以為勞苦。十五怠者目己為
智。過於善。應對之七人。遊行而理不干己之爭。如人
執狗之耳。如狂徒擲戈與矢。及死器者。欺其鄰而云。

全者惟義人求救其生命。隱之而待於後主。有司若聽偽言則其僕皆惡主。貧乏之與苛刻者相叙。耶和華光明其二者之目主。王以誠實鞫貧者其位必永堅立主。杖與譴責能賜智。惟得任己意之子必辱其母主。惡者加增罪亦加增。惟義人必目擊其倒斃主。責爾子則彼必使爾安。抑且使爾心樂主。無默示民則放肆。惟守法者有福主。惟以言責僕其不納之。雖明知亦不肯答主。爾見人急於言以愚者較彼可為之尤有望主。人養其僕由幼時待之逾分彼終必自視為子主。忿者激爭怒者多罪主。人之傲必使其卑。惟謙心

者必獲榮。與盜分贓者，恨己之靈，既聽詛咒之言，亦不告人，畏人之威，乃施罟，惟恃耶和華，必得保衛。人多求有司之面，惟人之義，鞫乃由耶和華。殘害之人，為義者所惡，正直於其途者，為惡人所惡。

第三十章

雅其子亞谷之言，即預其言如左。斯人乃

謂以鐵而言，即向以鐵與烏甲言曰：我愚於他人，我

未有人之聰明。蓋我未嘗學智，亦未知至聖者之見

識。誰曾昇天而後降乎？誰曾集風於手乎？誰曾包水

於衣乎？誰曾建立地之四極乎？其名維何？其子之名

維何？爾知之乎？神之言皆純神，為恃之者，皆為

我非戲者乎。斯人亦若是無時。則火滅無言者。見息
爭息。炭為熨熨煤薪為發火。訐者之致爭亦若是。游說
者之言雖視如謔言。亦入於腹之深處。溫唇與惡心
猶瓦器鋪以銀之滓。恨者以唇自飾。且匿謫於其衷。
其言雖善。毋信之。蓋其心有可憎者七。恨以詐蔽。其
惡必露於會眾之前。掘井者必自陷之。轉石者石必
反而壓己。謊舌必恨。凡受害於己者。謫之口必致敗。
第二十七章。毋以明日自誇。蓋爾不知一日間將遇
何事。頌爾由外人。非爾己口。或遠人非爾己唇。石重
沙匪輕。而愚人之怒較此二者尤重。怒為暴虐。憤斯

濫惟嫉孰能當之。寧明責愈於秘愛。友所施之傷。乃
忠。惟敵所接之吻。乃偽。飽者於蜜房亦厭。飢者雖苦
物皆甘。人遊而離其方。猶鳥離其巢。以遊亦然。膏與
香。悅人之心。友以由心之相勸。亦若是。爾之友。爾父
之友。爾皆不可以遺。爾遭難時。毋入爾兄弟之家。蓋
鄰之近者。愈於兄弟之遠者。我子歟。爾宜為智。致悅
我心。俾我可答。毀我者。達者見禍而自避。惟拙者前
而受責。為外人作保者。爾宜取其衣。因其為外人之
故。宜變其所有。晨以大聲祝其友者。人必以之歸於
彼。為詛起紛爭之妻。無異於雨時。恒有點滴。制之者。

帝。屈其右手。持於膏。鐘能利。鐘人能利。其友之面亦
然。守無花果樹。必食其實。保其主者。必獲榮。人鑑於
水面。與面相對。人心對人心。亦若是。陰府沉淪。終不
得滿。人之目亦然。終不得滿。鎔可煉銀。煉爐可煉金。
頌美之於人亦然。爾雖以杵間麥。搗黑_費人於臼中。然
其癡不離之。宜勤視爾羣之情。勞心以顧爾畜。蓋豐
財終不能永存。冠冕終不能世世。草腐葉_五萌。山蔬被
斂。羔乃為爾之衣。牡羊乃為田之值。且必有牝羊乳
足以養爾。食爾家人。致爾婢得生。

第二十八章 無追而惡者逃。惟義者毅。然如獅。地方

既罪君之者衆。惟有智慧者。有知識者。則必長存。人
既窮而虐貧者。如雨潦而使糧不遺。離律法者。譽惡
守律法者。敵惡。惡人不知公義。惟求耶和華者。無所
不知。乖戾其途者。雖富。不如行於正直而貧。守律法
者。為智子。從揮霍者。必致其父受辱。以利息益其財
者。其積之必為濟貧人之用。轉耳而不聽律法者。即
其祈禱亦必見憎。使義人迷於惡道者。必陷於己之
阱。惟完全者。必得善。富者視己為智。而有明哲之貧
者。察之。義人喜樂。則有大榮。惡人興起。則人隱匿。揜
己過者。必不利達。自認而離之者。必蒙矜恤。恒於位。

者有福剛愎其心者必陷於害吼獅流蕩之熊惡者
之轄窮民亦若是無聰明之君多行暴虐惟惡貪者
必享遐齡七流人血而見迫者必奔於阱人不宜阻之
行完全者必得救乖戾於歧路者必倒於斯路之一
耕其田者必飽於餅從虛妄之人者必多有貧乏九忠
厚者必獲多福圖速富者不免於辜三偏視於人乃不
善斯人或緣少許之餅亦必任過三惡目之人欲速得
財而不知貧乏必臨之三譴責人者後必獲恩愈於以
舌而謫者四竊父母之物者自謂無害是乃敗壞之流
心五驕者激爭端惟恃耶和華者必豐六恃私心者愚惟

以智慧而行者，必得救。賙貧者，終不致乏。捨其目者，受詛必多。惡人興起，則人隱匿。惟惡人亡，則義人增多。

第二十九章

既屢見責，仍強其項者，必致突然滅亡。

而不獲救。義人增多，則民喜樂。惡者秉權，則民自憂。慕智之人，使其父悅。惟狎妓者，傷財。王以公義必堅立其地，受賂者敗之。謠諛其鄰者，為其足施。罟在惡者之罪，有羅。惟義人則歌而樂。義人念貧者之訟，惡人不敢知之。侮慢者之人，擾邑。惟智者息怒。智者與愚者爭，其或怒。其或笑，終不能見睦。流血之人，恨完。

母增其言恐其責爾而爾為謊者我曾以兩端求爾
我未死之先求爾母不予我使浮且謊之言離我致
我不貧不富以所需之糧食我恐我飽而拂爾且云
耶和華為誰或為貧而竊致妄稱神之名我毋譖僕於
其主恐僕詛爾而爾見為有罪十一有一族人詛其父不
祝其母十二有一族人目己為潔然尚未滌其污十三有一族
人其目昂兮其睫自高兮十四有一族人其牙如劍其齒
如刀吞地之貧者人間之窮者十五夫蛭蟻有二女常呼
予予有三者終不知足有四者終不言足十六即陰府不
妊之胎不滿於水之地又有火終不言足十七或有目欺

父或以聽母言為邈忽谷鴉將啄之鷹雛將吞之我
以為極竒於我者有三我不識者有四九即鷹於天空
之路蛇於磐之路舟於海中之路男於童女之路淫
婦之途亦然既食則拭其口云我未行惡二斯世緣三
者而煩擾緣四者而不能自耐緣僕為王愚子足食
緣醜婦出嫁緣婢承主母之業四在地有四物雖微而
極智五蟻雖無力之類而備其食於夏三啖雖無能而
營其室於磐蝗三無王乃悉成羣而出六守宮以兩手執
物而居於王宮元善步者有三有四者能善行三獸中獅
為雄豪無所畏避三獵犬牡山羊及莫能禦之王三若爾

曾自銜而妄為。或曾圖維惡念。則當以手掩口。夫擣乳則酪生成。擣鼻則血出。擣怒必致爭。亦猶是。

第三十一章

利母益王之言。即其母所教之預言。如

左我子歟。何耶。我胎之子歟。何耶。我許願之子歟。何耶。毋以爾之力付於女。毋以爾途付於王之敗壞。利母益乎。飲酒非王者所宜。非王者所宜。飲醇醪。非牧伯所宜。恐飲而忘律法。且枉。或受屈者之鞫。予醇醪於將亡者。予酒於心憂者。可飲而忘其貧。不復憶其苦。宜為瘖者而啟爾口。即為凡孤者之訟。宜啟爾口。以施義鞫。又宜伸貧者苦者之冤。誰將遇賢女乎。價

貴於瑯玕。其夫之心恃之，產業必不乏。有生之諸日，
行於其夫者，惟善而不惡。其尋取綿羊毛，與臬手喜
操作。譬彼商舟，自遠運糧。未及黎明而起，以食予家
人。以所需者予婢。其察理田畝而買之，以其手所出
者，樹蒲萄園。其以力束腰而健其臂。其知所營之貨，
乃善。其燈終夜不滅。其置手於簞，其指執紡之輪。其
舒手於困苦者，伸手於貧乏者。不緣雪而慮其家，蓋
家人皆衣絳衣也。為己製衾，其衣乃紫。乃臬。其夫由
邑門為人所識，因其與斯地之長老偕坐焉。其造細
臬而售之，以紳交予商賈。其衣縝密華美，且於後日。

其將喜樂。其以智而啟口。仁愛之法在其舌。其顧其
家人之途。不食怠惰之餅。其子起而祝之。其夫亦讚
美之。女之行善者。多有之。惟爾愈於其衆。艷乃偽美。
乃虛。惟畏神之女。必獲讚美。宜以其手所出者予之。
人必緣其工作而讚美之於邑門。

Government has refused
but directed Maj. Ander-
son to create something of a
but one response, which
Word has been sent up
is Island, Fort Johnson
are ready for the work;
to be first in the assault.
Fort, and engage the gar-
rison, and then make an as-
sault, &c. Floating bat-
tles been in course of con-
sideration into use in making

Fort Sumter must prove
lives of the besiegers and
and confess. It presents
the undertaking. On the
and almost alarming un-
soldiers because they are
making. If Fort Sumter is
taken, I think Gov. Pickens
can one week.

ated at Cumming's Point,
ve been placed in position,
quarters of a mile distant,
Fort Sumter, the battery
ward of one mile and a
quintie a little less. Struc-
ture erected at those bat-
tles the shells of Sumter.
witzer and mortars have
es, with the view of shell-
ing now is, is not bomb-
ardment that Sumter will make
side.

Intelligence, relative to
atless already received.
Anderson had sent a lot
Anderson, who courtie-
wanting to keep to his
ould receive instructions
ington.

his \$10,000 a year from Northern property-owners,
or has gone South to give to the Secessionists that
powerful aid and assistance which he so ostenta-
tiously promised them, in case of Secession, is not
known here. Certain it is that he has been called
upon in our journals to make known his where-
abouts, and thus far has made no response.

Massachusetts and her Personal Liberty Bill.
Massachusetts has not yet repealed her Personal
Liberty bill, nor does she seem to be in any great
anxiety about it. An order was introduced into the
House on Friday, instructing the Special Committee
having this bill in charge to report upon it as soon
as practicable. The order was rejected by a vote of
121 to 98.

Previously to the introduction of this order, there
had been a debate over the resolves tendering to
the President of the United States assis'tance in men
and money against the Southern rebels. In the
course of this debate, George T. Davis, of Green-
field, formerly a Whig, now a conservative Repub-
lican, took the ground that no action should be
taken by Massachusetts toward the enforcement of
the laws until after the Committee on the Personal
Liberty bill had reported. In other words, that
Massachusetts must set herself in the right before
she undertook to pass upon measures for putting
her neighbors in that category. This style of argu-
ment did not suit the majority, who are unwilling
to believe that the old Bay State is not in the right.
Hence the vote on his order may be looked upon
more as a rebuke to Mr. Davis, than as an evidence
of the genuine feeling in the Legislature with re-
gard to the Liberty bill. It is believed—indeed it is
almost certain—that that bill will be repealed by
the vote of the Legislature; but then, it is just as
certain that Gov. Andrew will veto the action of the
Legislature, leaving the matter in *statu quo*. It will
require a two-third vote to pass the measure over
the Governor's veto, which can be hardly obtained

A Japanese Mermaid—Barnum's Opinions on Live Mermaids.

Those ingenious artists, the Japanese, have fur-
nished us another sample of their skill in out-of-
the-way manufacture, in the shape of a mermaid,
which Capt. King, commander of a trading vessel
plying between Japan and the Sandwich Islands,
was fortunate enough to get hold of, and send home
to his family in Williamsburgh. Those of our
journalists who have been admitted to inspect this
wonderful production of Japanese nature, describe
it as being about twenty-eight inches long—the
lower half resembling a fish and the upper a mon-
key. There are five fingers on each hand, all of
one length and webbed between, like the feet of
water fowl. The features of the face are all perfect
and more regular than those of the monkey tribe
generally are, and it has a good set of teeth. The
body has been embalmed and is in a good state of
preservation. It was "caught," we are told, on the
Japanese coast, but whether it was alive or dead,
when captured, we are not advised. Capt. King
had the creature embalmed, which has kept it, we
are told, in a high state of preservation.

Barnum was asked the other day, why it was not
possible to capture a live mermaid? "Because,"
replied the great showman, "you can't cut either a
fish or a monkey into two parts, without killing
it." This was very frank, and yet I shouldn't be
afraid to wager something handsome that Phineas
knows more about "Captain King" than any one
else, either on the Japanese coast or at the Sand-
wich Islands, and moreover, that in a very short
time we shall have the "wonderful mermaid" an-
nounced with a flourish of handbills, as having
been procured at an immense expense for exhibi-
tion at the Museum, and that thousands up in
thousands will rush to see it, with as much gusto,
as though the great Barnum had never written his
expose of the tricks of showmen. *Vive la Hamburg!*

ment of 20 or 30 families. In 1857, however, the
settlers at Los Vegas were called in by the Head of
the Church and the settlement was broken up. It
is now asserted that the mines are as rich as those
of Washoe, and it is supposed that they extend
westward as far as the Washoe range. Three com-
panies were lately passed, in the southern country,
bound for Las Vegas.

Some of these companies, says the San Bernardino
Herald, were organized at Marysville and carried
their outfit with them, except their wagon and
teams, which were purchased at Los Angeles, where
the outfit was completed. A. G. Lane, who has a
trading post on the Mohave, states that there are
about 100 miners at the Los Vegas, who have laid
out a town called Potosi. He says two trains from
Mono Lake passed his place recently loaded with
provisions. Flour cost them \$8 per cwt., and ba-
con 40 cents per pound, and they had hauled it
200 miles.

DIGGINGS AT CHILE GULCH, CALAVERAS COUNTY.

—Quite a little town is springing up on
Chile Gulch, between Mokelumne Hill and the
Junction store. The deep diggings struck in the
old channel last fall have called the miners to this
section, and already a billiard saloon, stores, res-
taurants, &c., are doing a good business. The
claims prospect rich, but at this season the water
is a great drawback to the successful working of
the mines. The lead has been traced for several
miles, and bids fair to be one of the richest in this
part of the country. It is supposed by many that
the lead was formerly the bed of a river which
broke over to the present course of the Mokelumne
When once the bed is thoroughly prospected, and
the course of the stream traced out, there will be
room for thousands of miners, and as the diggings
are deep, will give work for years to those who are
lucky enough to secure a good claim. *—Calaveras
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...sumed to act always *selfishly*. His work may be
...very necessary to the community; but the motive
...of it is understood to be wholly personal. The
...merchant's first object in all his dealings must be
... (the public believe) to get as much for himself, and
...leave as little to his neighbor (or customer) as pos-
...sible. Enforcing this upon him, by political statute,
...as the necessary principle of his action; recom-
...mending it to him on all occasions, and themselves
...reciprocally adopting it; proclaiming vociferously,
...for law of the universe, that a buyer's function is to
...cheapen and a seller's to cheat—the public, never-
...theless, involuntarily condemn the man of commerce
...for his compliance with their own statement, and
...stamp him forever as belonging to an inferior grade
...of human personality.
...This they will find, eventually, they must give
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...to laws of modern political economy, as the hero
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...or true fighting, it is necessary to admit the idea of
...occasional voluntary loss; that sixpences have to
...be lost as well as lives, under a sense of duty; that
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...regiment, all the...
...therefore, all the...
...of the so called...
...liberal profession...
...ferred before the head of a com-
...mercial firm, the reason must lie deeper than in the
...measurement of their several powers of mind.
...The essential reason for such preference will be
...found to lie in the fact that the merchant is pre-
...sumed to act always *selfishly*. His work may be
...very necessary to the community; but the motive
...of it is understood to be wholly personal. The
...merchant's first object in all his dealings must be
... (the public believe) to get as much for himself, and
...leave as little to his neighbor (or customer) as pos-
...sible. Enforcing this upon him, by political statute,
...as the necessary principle of his action; recom-
...mending it to him on all occasions, and themselves
...reciprocally adopting it; proclaiming vociferously,
...for law of the universe, that a buyer's function is to
...cheapen and a seller's to cheat—the public, never-
...theless, involuntarily condemn the man of commerce
...for his compliance with their own statement, and
...stamp him forever as belonging to an inferior grade
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...Private letter from Madrid speaks of the present embar-
...there in political circles at the United States...
...state of affairs in Mexico so soon as...
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...appears to understar...
...as a pendant to Cu...
...the enforcement of her...
...her ancient colony, and with such a fleet and
...army as she has now at her command, the...
...would not be a long one. England might, perhaps,
...interfere, but it would be to gain a share in the spoils.
...If Sam. Houston has any pretensions to the conquest
...of the Halls of the Montezumas, he had better com-
...mence his march before the Union is dissolved, or he
...will meet other and more dangerous obstacles than
...those existing to-day.

**Is California in the Union?—European Corres-
pondence.**
The same writer says: "It is time there should
be a clear and definite understanding between the
Post office department of the United States and
those of England and France in regard to the geo-
graphical and political position of California and
the laws which govern the transportation of the
mails from and to that State. Letters thrown into
the box at San Francisco for Paris *unpaid*, arrive
here safely and are paid for at the usual rate, viz:
15 cents or 16 sous. But letters thrown into the
London box for San Francisco unpaid, or into the
Paris box unpaid *to go through England*, most gen-
erally do not arrive at their destination. The ques-
tion then arises, is California one of the States of
the American Union or not? Lately, Mr. Thompson,
the American Consul at Southampton, made appli-
cation to Sir Rowland Hill for a bundle of Cali-
fornia letters which he feared were detained in the
London post-office for want of pre-payment, coup-
ling the demand with a remark of surprise that they
should be thus detained, when he was more sur-
prised in receiving a note from the Department in
explanation, in which it was said that the letters
were detained, 'because California was not *exactly*
in the United States.' Now, however much this
magnificent 'not exactly' might apply to the new
Pacific Republic which the representatives of the
auriferous State threaten to establish, the threats
had not yet been made, and Sir Rowland Hill was
yet in ignorance of the disunion projects of the
Breckinridge party of California. Once for all, is
California one of the States of the American Union
or not? and if she is, is there no way of making the
postal treaty between France, England and the
United States reciprocal as regards unpaid letters.

Coops at Pensacola.
Major W. S. In...
States corps...
State troops at Pensacola. He was formerly a
resident of Massachusetts, and received the ap-
pointment of cadet from that State to the Military
Academy at West Point, where he graduated March
3, 1815. He was appointed brevet second lieutenant
in the corps of engineers in the same month, and
promoted to a full lieutenant April 15, 1818. His
subsequent promotions to first lieutenant, captain
and major date respectively March 31, 1819, Jan-
uary 1, 1825, and July 7, 1838. In 1844 he was a
member of the special board of engineers for ex-
amination of Florida reefs, &c., and for the exam-
ination of harbors, channels, &c., on the Gulf fron-
tier of Texas and Mississippi. He was a member
of the board of Engineers from March 13, 1848, to
September, 1848. He resigned his position in the
Federal army October 31, 1856. Major Chast is a
man of indomitable perseverance and courage, and
ranks high as a military engineer and strategist.
He is about 64 years of age, and possesses a large
private fortune.
Anti-Southern Feeling Growing in the North.
Union meetings continue to be held here at the
North, but their efforts are growing feebler every
day, and must eventually end in smoke, at least so
long as the South maintains its present belligerent
attitude. The anti-Southern feeling among the
masses of the Democracy is daily spreading and
growing stronger, and threatens to leaven the whole
party with its wholesome fermentation. Among
their leaders also—those, I mean, who are known
as sympathizers with the Secession movement,
there is an evident falling off in courage, or rather
of audacity. Richard P. Lathers, the Ajax
Telamon of the Pine street misnamed Union meet-
ing, has not been heard of since the *Times* so sig-
nificantly called the attention of the General

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...of Lieut. Hall and Col.
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